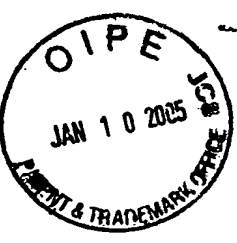


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In response to the restriction requirement dated 12/15/2004, the Applicant elects the species of **Group 1** (claims 1-20 and 30-31). This election is made without traverse.

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